

Subject: Installation of a coin electrotyping
outfit at the ANS

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Mr. George B. Hogaboom
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Dear Sir:

A while ago I talked with Professor Campbell of Columbia, about installing a small electro-typing outfit in our Museum, and he referred me to you as being best able to advise. We know nothing about installing or running such an outfit, but we do know more or less, what we want. We desire to make copies of many of our medals and coins for exhibition purposes, and as they come in various metals, we should want to be able to plate them in gold and silver and so forth. We should appreciate it very much if you could recommend someone in New York who could come here and look over the situation and advise us. It occurs to us that we might like to hire someone to select and install the outfit and possibly run it a little while so as to instruct us. If you happen to know someone who is not now busy, and would let us know, we should be very much obliged.

Yours very truly,

Curator.